

Table I.C.4.a(2002) Percent of private-sector employees enrolled in a health insurance plan that take single coverage that required no employee contribution by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2002

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	26.6%	67.2%	58.3%	38.2%	25.3%	11.2%	56.3%	17.5%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	50.4%	87.7%	41.4% *	50.3%	47.7%	25.1% *	71.7%	30.7%
Mining and manufacturing	25.3%	61.5%	58.4%	31.0%	27.6%	16.2%	48.6%	20.9%
Construction	45.7%	64.0%	53.8%	43.2%	41.9%	6.4% *	53.0%	34.9%
Utilities and transp.	24.2%	69.0%	57.3%	35.5%	28.3%	14.2%	55.5%	18.2%
Wholesale trade	30.5%	61.5%	54.8%	39.6%	24.2%	10.0% *	53.1%	20.0%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	21.2%	77.2%	61.2%	43.8%	25.7%	8.1%	64.3%	13.4%
Retail trade	19.9%	58.4%	56.3%	30.9%	10.2%	4.7%	50.3%	8.4%
Professional services	27.9%	71.3%	67.6%	43.0%	23.2%	12.2%	63.1%	17.7%
Other services	27.2%	63.6%	50.9%	38.4%	29.7%	11.3%	53.8%	19.2%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	25.5%	67.6%	57.7%	35.6%	24.0%	10.3%	55.6%	15.9%
For profit, unincorporated	39.3%	65.5%	57.4%	40.1%	31.0%	13.6% *	57.7%	26.5%
Nonprofit	30.2%	69.7%	63.1%	48.3%	27.9%	15.3%	59.9%	23.9%
Unknown	11.7%	.	100.0% *	56.6% *	9.1% *	11.6%	39.8% *	11.4%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	44.0%	65.7%	60.8%	36.9%	18.2%	18.2% *	60.3%	21.0%
5-9 years	37.2%	67.5%	58.6%	33.2%	23.6%	13.1% *	58.8%	18.5%
10-19 years	36.8%	64.8%	52.9%	39.9%	23.3%	4.4% *	54.3%	21.8%
20 or more years	27.8%	68.9%	60.7%	38.4%	26.2%	11.9%	56.2%	19.8%
Unknown	11.5%	.	100.0% *	44.0%	26.9%	10.7%	33.5% *	11.5%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	15.4%	63.8%	56.0%	36.6%	23.0%	10.8%	45.4%	14.3%
1 location only	46.6%	67.2%	58.5%	38.7%	29.5%	22.2%	57.4%	31.1%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	22.5%	80.7%	61.4%	42.2%	31.8%	3.6% *	64.0%	12.2%
25-49 %	15.2%	64.2%	42.2%	27.4%	18.6%	2.2% *	44.6%	8.5%
50-74 %	27.1%	68.0%	58.2%	36.6%	23.7%	10.2%	57.1%	16.8%
75% or more	27.2%	66.9%	58.9%	38.9%	25.8%	12.0%	56.6%	18.3%
Union presence								
No union employees	28.2%	67.0%	58.1%	38.7%	24.1%	7.7%	56.6%	16.7%
Has union employees	24.3%	73.0%	71.7%	34.0%	37.8%	18.5%	53.0%	22.5%
Unknown	15.4%	70.8%	42.9% *	29.1% *	8.5% *	14.2%	47.7%	14.0%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	27.3%	62.4%	56.1%	28.5%	25.8%	5.0%	52.0%	17.7%
Less than 50% low wage	34.0%	68.1%	58.9%	40.8%	25.7%	12.4%	57.2%	22.0%
Unknown	13.1%	65.6%	51.4%	37.2%	21.6%	11.2%	55.2%	12.1%

Source: Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality, Center for Financing, Access and Cost Trends. 2002 Medical Expenditure Panel Survey-Insurance Component.

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Table I.C.4.a(2002) Standard error for percent of private-sector employees enrolled in a health insurance plan that take single coverage that required no employee contribution by firm size and selected characteristics: United States, 2002

Characteristics	Total	Less than 10 employees	10-24 employees	25-99 employees	100-999 employees	1000 or more employees	Less than 50 employees	50 or more employees
United States	0.51%	1.10%	1.80%	1.84%	1.38%	0.89%	1.02%	0.43%
Industry group **								
Agric., fish., forest.	6.73%	5.72%	14.89% *	13.88%	13.77%	12.23% *	6.17%	8.38%
Mining and manufacturing	1.91%	8.03%	4.88%	3.24%	4.14%	2.38%	3.80%	1.79%
Construction	1.91%	2.68%	3.55%	3.06%	8.61%	4.14% *	2.33%	4.71%
Utilities and transp.	2.62%	4.82%	8.15%	5.50%	6.70%	4.00%	4.49%	2.28%
Wholesale trade	2.36%	5.83%	5.98%	4.64%	6.19%	3.02% *	5.01%	3.06%
Fin. svcs. and real estate	0.91%	4.08%	3.57%	2.85%	4.93%	1.71%	3.28%	1.33%
Retail trade	1.37%	3.11%	5.30%	3.32%	1.97%	0.93%	2.45%	0.75%
Professional services	1.21%	2.52%	3.50%	3.16%	2.12%	2.30%	2.16%	1.45%
Other services	1.66%	3.92%	3.34%	4.96%	3.44%	2.07%	1.78%	1.90%
Ownership								
For profit, incorporated	0.46%	1.19%	2.09%	1.69%	1.98%	0.97%	1.03%	0.42%
For profit, unincorporated	2.90%	1.39%	5.21%	4.24%	5.59%	7.63% *	1.88%	4.76%
Nonprofit	1.57%	5.30%	4.55%	4.22%	2.17%	3.26%	3.35%	1.76%
Unknown	2.35%	.	31.62% *	18.48% *	4.24% *	2.40%	14.63% *	2.29%
Age of firm								
Less than 5 years	2.49%	3.66%	7.20%	5.39%	4.18%	9.43% *	2.91%	4.20%
5-9 years	3.53%	1.84%	5.68%	4.43%	4.56%	7.39% *	2.16%	5.19%
10-19 years	0.83%	2.16%	2.70%	2.89%	2.52%	3.03% *	1.64%	1.20%
20 or more years	0.72%	2.45%	2.79%	2.09%	1.37%	1.05%	1.37%	0.71%
Unknown	1.01%	.	31.62% *	10.85%	6.33%	1.24%	13.76% *	1.02%
Multi/single status								
2 or more locations	0.60%	7.85%	5.45%	1.93%	1.91%	0.87%	3.86%	0.57%
1 location only	0.75%	1.10%	1.57%	2.05%	1.52%	5.49%	0.89%	1.25%
Percent full-time employees								
Less than 25%	1.65%	5.66%	9.17%	4.90%	6.57%	1.12% *	3.46%	1.38%
25-49 %	1.04%	5.04%	5.59%	4.07%	3.67%	1.01% *	2.86%	0.93%
50-74 %	2.15%	3.99%	3.96%	3.66%	4.84%	1.93%	3.05%	2.14%
75% or more	0.54%	1.25%	2.21%	1.69%	1.73%	0.97%	0.93%	0.57%
Union presence								
No union employees	0.46%	1.16%	1.82%	1.76%	1.40%	0.67%	0.84%	0.56%
Has union employees	2.22%	8.89%	6.82%	5.21%	4.02%	2.45%	7.04%	2.05%
Unknown	2.35%	9.23%	12.99% *	12.28% *	3.32% *	2.64%	9.92%	2.28%
Percent low wage employees								
50% or more low wage	1.74%	2.40%	3.15%	2.83%	3.47%	1.40%	1.89%	1.99%
Less than 50% low wage	0.98%	0.90%	2.26%	1.98%	1.22%	1.64%	1.24%	1.04%
Unknown	0.80%	7.59%	8.43%	9.13%	3.87%	1.16%	3.91%	0.83%

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